

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1118

By Evans

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ashley Traughber, 2010
Salutatorian of Jo Byrns High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Traughber is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2010 graduating class at Jo Byrns High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Traughber has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ashley Traughber has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in several extracurricular and civic activities, including FBLA, HOSA, DRAMA, the Renaissance Club, FCCLA, FFA, the Key Club, Spanish Club, and FCA; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Traughber's estimable leadership skills have enabled her to serve her fellow students as President of FBLA, HOSA, DRAMA, and the Renaissance Club and as Vice-President of her class and FCCLA; and

WHEREAS, a woman of faith, Ms. Ashley Traughber tirelessly serves her Lord and the community as the director of Spiritual Hands, the Sabbath School Superintendant, the director of her church's Vacation Bible School, a volunteer at local nursing homes throughout the community, and an active participant in Little Lambs, Eager Beavers, Adventurers, Pathfinders, and her church's choir, Victory in Praise; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Traughber's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Traughber's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2010 Jo Byrns High School Salutatorian, Ashley Traughber, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.